

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Hoang, et al.

Application No.: 10/626,363

Filed: July 23, 2003

For: SOURCE BASED SCHEME TO  
ESTABLISH COMMUNICATION  
PATHS IN AN OPTICAL NETWORK

Examiner: Li, Shi K.

Art Unit: 2613

Confirmation No.: 1226

Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a)

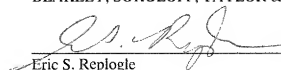
Applicant respectfully petitions pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a one month extension of time to file this response to the Notice of Appeal electronically filed on November 10, 2008. The extended period is set to expire on March 10, 2009. Authorization is given to charge the Applicant's Deposit Account No. 02-2666 in the amount of \$130.00, to cover the fee for a one month extension of time.

Please charge any shortages and credit any overages to our Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,

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